

**TOWN OF GRANBY
CONSERVATION COMMISSION
MEETING MINUTES
APRIL 18, 2013**

PRESENT: Chairman Neil Hornish; Susan Dwyer; Carolyn Flint; Mark Fiorentino; Anna Sogliuzzo; Lana Torres; Mark Lockwood

GUEST: Professor William Sleavin, Westfield State University

Chairman Neil Hornish confirmed a quorum and called the regular meeting of the Conservation Commission to order at 8:46 p.m.

MINUTES:

The minutes from the April 4, 2013 meeting were reviewed by the Commission.

ON A MOTION by C. Flint, seconded by A. Sogliuzzo, the minutes from the April 4, 2013 meeting were approved (5-0-2). L. Torres and M. Fiorentino abstained.

TRAIL MAPPING:

Professor Sleavin demonstrated the graphics for the Trail Mapping of the Godard Preserve; Mary Edwards Mountain Property; Western Barndoor Hill Preserve; McLean's and Holcomb Farm. He will add any additional trails that have been mapped. He suggests that the Commission members access the graphics on Google Earth and note any errors.

Professor Sleavin has again made GPS units available for use by Commission members.

EVONSION FARM:

The Town Manager's office is to be contacted with suggestions regarding possible uses of this property.

ENERGY FAIR:

No business at this time.

OLD BUSINESS:

No business at this time.

NEW BUSINESS:

Chairman Hornish has updated Portfolio Manager Energy Star Ratings on all town buildings.

Chairman Hornish has submitted a letter of resignation as a Conservation Commission member effective April 19, 2013.

The Commission members would like to extend their thanks to Chairman Hornish for his outstanding leadership and dedication to the Conservation Commission.

ON A MOTION by M. Lockwood, seconded by C. Flint, Anna Sogliuzzo was nominated and elected Chairman of the Conservation Commission on a vote of (6-0-1). A. Sogliuzzo abstained.

ADJOURN:

ON A MOTION by M. Lockwood, seconded by C. Flint, the Commission voted unanimously (7-0-0) to adjourn at 9:37 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Jini Ruscitti
Recording Secretary